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Mail Stop Amendment
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This is in response to the Office action mailed from the Patent Office on October 18, 2006, for which the shortened statutory period was set to expire on January 18, 2007. Applicant hereby requests a one month extension of time until Tuesday, February 20, 2007 (Monday, February 19, 2007 being a Federal Holiday), and authorizes the Commissioner to charge the \$120.00 one-month extension of time fee and any other required fee to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 16-2500.

Applicant respectfully requests entry of this Response, in which:

- **Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 2.
- **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3.
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